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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 27, 2006 NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING **NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Notification To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures issued by the U.S. Patent Office on December 27, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of the Notification is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**. A reply is due February 27, 2007. Accordingly, this reply is being timely filed.

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